House Resolution No. 2271

Whereas, as the 2002-2003 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Maysville R-I School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 22, 2003, with the retirement of Sue Sexton who has devoted more than three decades of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as a teacher; and

Whereas, Sue Sexton has taught for thirty-two years at Maysville R-I, where she served as a third grade teacher, as Special Education Coordinator, and as a learning disabilities teacher prior to assuming her current responsibilities as a Title I math teacher; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Sue Sexton has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, Sue Sexton has watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

Whereas, a member of the National Education Association, Sue Sexton has also enjoyed recognition for her past participation as a Girl Scout Leader, Cub Scout Leader, 4-H Leader, Sunday school teacher, Chairman of the DeKalb County Heart Fund, and President of the Parent Teacher Association and the Community Teachers Association; and

Whereas, Sue Sexton has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Wayne H. Sexton, and three children, Randall L. Sexton, Sheryll L. Sexton, and Scott W. Sexton:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join the Maysville R-I School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Sue Sexton has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Sue Sexton, as a measure of our esteem for her.

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2271, adopted April 29, 2003.